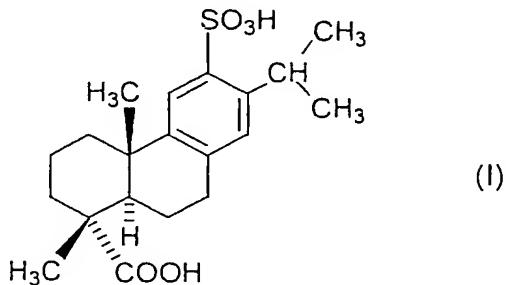


ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a novel agent for prophylaxis or treatment of inflammatory bowel diseases for oral administration or 5 intra-intestinal infusion, which comprises as an active ingredient a compound of the formula (I):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof; a use of said active 10 ingredient in preparation of an agent for prophylaxis or treatment of inflammatory bowel diseases; and a method for prophylaxis or treatment of inflammatory bowel diseases.